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Pathfinder's Name

## Christian Visitation

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1. Define Christian visitation.

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2. As a member of the church family, what are your responsibilities with regards to other members?

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3. Discuss with a group the spiritual benefits of Christian visitation from the following perspectives:

a. Spiritual Growth

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b. Personal Growth

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4. Discover how to utilize Christian visitation as a tool for church health and determine how your church can utilize this information.

Date completed \_\_\_\_\_

5. Discover how your local church can create and utilize a list of sick and homebound members. With a group, discuss and evaluate the types of undertakings that are in place to address their needs.

Date completed \_\_\_\_\_

6. Discuss with a group the biblical context of four of the following texts as they relate to Christian visitation.

- a. Matthew 25:36
- b. James 5:13-16
- c. Galatians 5:14
- d. 1 John 3:17
- e. James 1:27
- f. Philippians 2:4
- g. A text of your choice

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2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

Date completed \_\_\_\_\_

7. Briefly describe the following five main aspects of visitation:

a. Listening

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b. Praying

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c. Reading the Bible

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d. Helping/serving

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e. Presence

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8. Briefly describe the following types of visitations:

a. Soul winning

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b. Hospital

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c. Sick

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d. Homebound

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e. Welcome

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f. Inactive member

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**g. Discouraged**

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**9.** Role play two of the visitations in the previous requirement.

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**10.** Read Matthew 9:18-35. Briefly describe the interaction Jesus had with those He encountered who were sick. What was His reaction towards them?

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**11.** With a group, organize a special program that places emphasis on the love of Christ. Visit a facility where people would enjoy knowing that someone cares enough to come and present a program.

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**12.** With a group, develop an effective worship experience that can minister to someone facing the following situations:

- Able or unable to communicate
- With or without a mental deficit

Date completed \_\_\_\_\_

**13.** Briefly describe the following types of behavior required when planning your visit:

**a.** Go two-by-two

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**b. Know the names of those who will be visited**

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**c. Be respectful and courteous**

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**d. Be positive and affirming**

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**e. Be sensitive and peaceful**

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**f. Avoid verbal excessiveness**

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**g. Be clean and neat**

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- 14.** Plan and visit someone who is homebound. Use your creative worship experience developed in requirement 12.

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- 15.** Plan and visit a member of your Pathfinder club or your church who has not attended for an extended period of time.

Date completed \_\_\_\_\_